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Haig Reports on His Drive Against Huns

Commander of British Force Details
Operations of Recent Months—A Tribute to His Troops

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London, June 20.—(Via Reuter's Ot-awa Agency)—Field Marshal Sir Doug-as Haig, British commander-in-chief, as forwarded to the war office a des-court inevitable.

as forwarded to the war office a desatch covering operations from Decemer 18 to the present offensive. It recalls the strategic plans behind the aparently isolated attacks and raids which continued throughout the winer, and shows all as fitting into a compresensive and systematic scheme in order to prepare a favorable situation for the pring advance.

The commander-in-chief explains that, wing to the Somme battle, the enemy 1 the region of the Ancre Valley had en forced into a pronounced salent etween the Ancre and Scarpe valleys, herefoire a further short advance would ive tife British command of the Beautout-1/amel synt. Accordingly an attack was delivered against the defences verlooking the villages of Fys and irandcourt on November 18.

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British Seize Enemy Guns; Gain Ground

London, June 20. British forces have made some gains on the Arras front. according to an official statement issued last night. Four German field guns were taken east of Messines in the advance last Thursday. The text of

south of the Cojeul River and also north of the Souchez River, where we captured thirty-live prisoners. In addition to the captures already reported, four German field guns were taken by us east of Messines in the course of our recent advance in this area on Thursday night.

"Valuable work was performed by our airplanes yesterday in spite of unsettled weather. Bombs dropped on an enemy dump caused an explosion. Six failed to return." BIG GUNS BUSY ON FRENCH FRONT

Paris, June 20. Heavy artillery fighting is in progress on the Aisne and

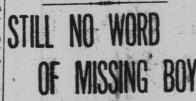
Champagne fronts, says today's official statement. Early this morning the Germans carried on a severe bombardment of French positions near Lauff aux Mill and in the region of Mont Carnillet. A German infantry attack was disperse

Crest of Period of Superactivity of Sub
marines

Dublishes in the Temps the results of his study, supposedly from authoritative sources, on the present number of German reserves. He estimates that the grand total of German troops of all kinds and classes up to June 1 reached 18,130,000 and that this total was depleted by losses of 3,680,000; 2,200,000 rendered unfit through wounds and 1,180,000 resident in foreign countries. General De La Croix figures that Germany has 575,000 reserves with which to cover her losses until November, or 115,000 a month plus 35,000 monthly of those who recover from their wounds, a grand total of 200,000 a month. The general says that German losses in April and May have been at least 300,000 monthly, making a debit balance, which he says has been met by a shortening of the German front and fewer attacks. The discence of reserves has caused, he says, an obvious shift from the old tactics.

Campaign began.

The returns, week by week, for the ubsence of reserves has caused, he says



The British Commons For Votes For Women

FIRST UNDER ACT

American Export Control Act In Force at Once

HOW ADMINISTERED

Heavy Grain Purchases by European Neutrals Said to Have Hastened Action in Making Act

in the War

That Assistant Lance Corporal Stanley A. Gilbert, of a mounted riffe unit has been placed in a hospital in Calais, France, suffering from a gunshot wound

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The entire evening was occupied in debating the Banbury amendment, which called for the omitting of the sections of the bill giving suffrage to women. The debate, while showing the existence of a still considerable as still considerable.

The act will be administered by an export council made up of representatives of the state, war, navy and commerce departments. The food administration and others to be administration of the state of t and others to be selected by the state and

and others to be scleeted by the state and commerce departments. Administrative details will be handled by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce which will be enlarged by the addition of an export licensing division.

Matters of international consequence will be decided by the state department. Food questions will be left to the food administration. Coal and wheat will be the first two commodities to come under operation of the act, and a presidential proclamation specifying these two probably will accompany the executive order. Heavy grain purchases by European neutrals, it was said, influenced the government to hasten putting the export control act into operation. Alarmed at prospects that the United States was preparing to exercise the strictest supervision over food shipments, the neutrals, it is declared, have gone into the American wheat market and obtained contracts for enormous quantities of the cereal. Much of this now probably never will leave the country, and if the food bills pass, the purchasers can be forced to disgorge their holdings under the em-

Principle Adopted By a Majority Of 330

AMENDMENT DEFEATED

Sir Frederick Banbury's Offering Rejected, 385 to 56 - May Mean Women in Parliament, Government and Diplomatic Ser-

London, June 20-The principle of women suffrage was adopted in the overwhelming majority of 330 votes. Sir

authentic mandate to deal with such an important question. Others appeared to

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